



LITTLE HOOVER COMMISSION

AGENDA

Acupuncture Advisory Committee

Wednesday, September 24, 2003, 1 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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Meeting Goal:

Explore the legislative questions in SB 1951 and AB 1943 on education:

1. Review and make recommendations on the education requirements for acupuncturists.
2. Review increasing curriculum hours for the licensure of acupuncturists in excess of 3,000 hours up to 4,000 hours to fully and effectively provide health services under their scope of practice.
3. Reviewing the competence of licensed acupuncturists who are not subject to the 3,000-hour minimum curriculum requirement, and [the] training, testing or continuing education that would be required for these individuals to meet the standards for continued licensure.

1:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Opening Remarks/Introductions (Subcommittee Chairman David Epstein)
1:15 p.m. – 1:20 p.m.	Review Advisory Committee Process & Meeting Goals (Executive Director Jim Mayer)
1:20 p.m. – 1:25 p.m.	<i>Howard Kong, L.Ac.</i> <i>President, CA State Oriental Medical Association</i>
1:25 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	<i>Matthew Bauer, L.Ac.</i> <i>La Verne Acupuncture</i>
1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Discussion
2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Break
3:00 p.m. – 3:05 p.m.	<i>Fred Lerner, D.C., Ph.D., Chairman</i> <i>National Board of Acupuncture Orthopedics</i>
3:10 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	<i>Donald E. (Deke) Kendall, O.M.D., Ph.D., L.Ac.</i> <i>National Guild for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine</i> <i>Director for Education and Research</i>
3:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Discussion